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DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

This is to certify that the partnership formerly existing between Wm. Murphy and myself, under the firm name of Murphy & Fye, has been dissolved and that I am now located at the Sneekenberger & Straub shop on North State street.

No chance for disappointment if you serve Mrs. Austin's Pancakes. All grocers sell it.

WEDDING BELLS ARE RINGING

Despite Opposition of Bride's Parents.

CEREMONY PERFORMED

Tuesday Evening at Residence of Charles Allen.

Miss Mable Topliff and Correl M. Bell are happily wedded by Rev. J. G. Curry.

If President Roosevelt could invoke the services of little Dan Cupid in going after trusts and kindred evils, it's pretty much of a moral certainty that the evils would have to go. Because one of the little god's peculiarities is that he always triumphs over the strongest opposition.

The latest exploit of this chubby, bare little winged fellow was the successful opposition of the parents of Miss Mable Topliff, of LaRue, who had decreed that she should not marry Correl M. Bell, of the same place. They were married Tuesday evening and thereby dangles something of an appendage.

As stated in the columns of this paper several days ago, Miss Topliff and Mr. Bell, who had been sweethearts since the braided hair and pinafore stage of her existence, had arranged to be married. The license had been secured and the ceremony was to have been performed that evening. However, when the young lady announced her intention, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Topliff absolutely forbade the wedding and the groom returned sorrowfully to his home. The license was not returned, however, and wise ones

predicted that the young lady would not subside as easily as she apparently did.

Tuesday evening the sequel came. In their marriage at the home of Charles Allen, a warm personal friend of both parties. All arrangements had been made, Rev. J. G. Curry and the groom having gone to the Allen home, where the radiant bride appeared about seven o'clock, accompanied by Mr. Allen, who had gone after her in a buggy.

Miss Topliff's parents hadn't any idea when their daughter tossed a shawl over her head and strolled carelessly out at the front door, that she was going to consummate the dearest dream of her life, and that their bitter opposition to young Bell was to be so easily set at naught.

The bride wasn't dressed in her glad clothes, nor did the wedding occur as per previous schedule; but today two hearts are beating as one, and that, after all, is the one really important truth in this matter. Mr. and Mrs. Bell remained over night at the Allen home and Wednesday morning went to the home of Mr. Bell's parents where they received a truly warm welcome.

Both are highly popular in the western portion of the county and the marriage savors just enough of the romantic to please the friends of the happy young couple and prove the truth of the old saw relative to all the world loving a lover. It is expected that in a few days, whether they receive the Topliff parental blessing or not, they will go to Union City, Ind., where the groom is employed as cashier for the Big Four railroad company.

Dade's Little Liver Pills thoroughly clean the system good for lazy livers, makes clear complexions, bright eyes and happy thoughts.

Sold by Flocken's Drug Store.

LEAGUE UNCHANGED

The O.P. Circuit will Not be Redistricted This Year.

Sharon, Pa., Jan. 9.—Secretary Clepper, of the Sharon base ball team, who is attending the National Association meeting at New York, wired today that it was decided not to redistrict the Ohio and Pennsylvania league. Sandusky wants a franchise in the league, but it will be necessary for that city to purchase a franchise from one of the other teams if O.P. league ball is played there during the coming year.

January Sale of Untrimmed Hats and Fancy Feathers

Commencing tomorrow morning, January 10, we put on sale all our untrimmed felt, silk and silk braid hats at 50c each. Then all fancy feathers that sold for \$2.00 and up will be yours at prices from 25c and 50c. All trimmed children's hats at 50c and 75c.

MRS. BECKETT, Warner & Edwards.

TAX DUPLICATE COMPLETED

By County Auditor for Year 1906.

THE SPECIAL TAX LEVIED

In City Alone Amounts to the Sum of \$58,076.80.

The Total County Tax Assessed Amounts to \$75,000 in Excess of the Year Previous.

County Auditor Allen has completed his abstract of the tax duplicate for 1906. Ordinarily figures make rather dry reading, but in this instance they are pregnant with interesting information. For instance, the total county tax assessed is nearly \$600,000 and of this amount the city pays more than one-half. This amount is also almost \$75,000 in excess of the year previous.

The special taxes levied in the city of Marion alone amount to \$58,076.80, an increase of nearly six thousand dollars over the previous year. All of which, of course, is indicative of the fact that Marion has made many improvements during the past year.

According to the abstract, the total value of real and personal property has been returned at \$18,247,430, and this is presumed to be sixty per cent. of its real value. However, it is a matter of common knowledge that there is a perceptible shrinkage in land values about the time they are returned for taxation, and the amount registered on the abstract more nearly approaches 20 per cent. than the sixty per cent., which the law assumes to be the correct valuation.

The total value of lands, then, according to the returns made, is \$6,745,730; the value of real estate in cities and villages is \$4,730,240, while of this amount the city of Marion is credited with \$4,170,500. The value of personal property is given as \$6,771,460, Marion being credited with \$2,540,100.

The total state tax is \$24,542.82, of which the city of Marion pays \$9,000.76. This state tax is divided into the following funds: State sinking fund \$1824.75, university and normal, \$4470.64, and state common school fund, \$18,247.43.

The total county tax amounting to \$441,110.44 is divided into the following funds: county, \$36,494.87; poor and children's home, \$24,725.28; bridge, \$21,896.91; building \$3,649.46; indigent soldiers, \$1,824.75; road, \$6,823.43; all debts for which the county is responsible, \$16,422.67; township, \$14,192.54; schools, \$134,036.15; special taxes, \$21,052.69; city and village, \$114,373.06; pike, election, judicial and ditch, \$45,618.63.

The total taxes levied for all purposes except per capita dog tax was \$466,653.26. Delinquent taxes on real estate amounted to \$10,967.87 and on personal property to \$20,105.64. The total amount for all purposes including delinquencies, but exclusive of the dog tax amounts to \$496,726.77. The dog tax on males is \$2,622 and on females \$408. Special pike taxes amount to \$25,074.62; specials on county ditches, \$15,446.26 and specials on Marion improvements \$58,076.80. The grand total, including dog tax, specials, delinquencies, and taxes levied for all purposes amounts to \$599,121.54.

DR. H. L. UHLER

Assumes Duties as President of the Medical Society.

An enthusiastic meeting of the Marion County Medical Society was held at the office of Dr. E. O. Richardson on East Center street, Tuesday night. It was the final session of the old year and Dr. Richardson, president of the society, surrendered the gavel to the newly elected president, Dr. H. L. Uhler, who accepted in a short witty speech.

Business of a routine nature was transacted, after which a social session was enjoyed.

The Price of Peace

The terrible itching and smarting, incident to certain skin diseases, is almost instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Salve. Price 25 cents. For sale by all druggists.

DUKE AND DUCHESS OF MALBOROUGH SEPARATE

London, Jan. 9.—Announcement was made today of a deed of separation between the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough has been signed. It is understood the Duchess will keep Sunderland and her own dowry and to have the custody of their two sons.

If you enjoy muffins and waffles, try Mrs. Austin's Pancake flour and you will be delighted with the results.

ANNIVERSARY SALE

\$20 Overcoats \$14.75

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\$15 Overcoats \$11.75

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\$10 Overcoats \$6.75

HUGHS & CLEARY

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Held by Lime City Council Jr. O. U. A. M.

INSTALLATION EXERCISES

Of Sosnowski Rebekah Lodge Largely Attended.

The Improved Order of Red Men Select State Officers at Mansfield—Lodge Happenings.

The annual installation of officers was held at a largely attended meeting of the Sosnowski Rebekahs held in the lodge rooms Tuesday night. With Mrs. George Smeltzer assisted by Miss Edna Rogers, acting as installing officers, the oath of office was administered to the following officers.

Mrs. W. F. Johnson, noble grand; Mrs. Alice Welsh, vice grand; Miss Elizabeth Bairy, recording secretary; Mrs. F. Hunter financial secretary; Mrs. Kathryn Fies, treasurer.

Following are the recently appointed officers which were installed: Mrs. George Smeltzer, right supporter to noble grand; Mrs. William Luellen, left supporter to noble grand; Mrs. Blanche McPherson, warden; Mrs. William Bowers, conductress; Mrs. Samuel Johnson, chaplain; Mrs. John Evans, outside guard; Miss Lottie

Ward inside, guard; Mrs. John Luellen, right supporter to vice grand; Mrs. Amanda Huff, left supporter to vice grand; Miss Hattie Welsh, musician; John Evans, captain of degree staff; Rebecca Miller, trustee for three years.

At a meeting of Lime City Council Jr. O. U. A. M., held Tuesday night, the following officers were installed for the ensuing year: G. B. Smeltzer, state deputy; J. C. Brady, junior past councillor; S. Shultz, councillor; O. S. McNeal, vice councillor; C. R. Randall, recording secretary; R. C. Randall, assistant recording secretary; W. L. Alexander, financial secretary; C. J. Nichols, treasurer; I. E. Wynn, inside sentinel; C. Gallagher, outside sentinel; H. Davis, conductor; M. C. Calpins, chaplain; T. E. Andrews, trustee for three years.

The lodge received an invitation from the Galion order, requesting the presence of the local lodge at a big convalesce to be held in that city next Tuesday night. It was accepted and arrangements made for attending in a body.

Mansfield, Jan. 9.—The following state officers of the Improved Order of Red Men were declared elected as a result of the meeting of the canvassing board, which counted the ballots cast during the third week in December at the executive offices in this city today.

Great sachem, Edgar J. Granger, Piqua; great senior sashmore, A. T. Hutchinson, Scott; great junior sashmore, S. B. Epier, Whitehouse; great chief of records, Thos. J. Irwin, Martin's Ferry; great keeper of wampum, James C. Kerr, Columbus; great prophet, S. M. Gorham, Mansfield; great trustee, Albert Frank, Columbus; representatives to great council, U. S. A. F. Little, Bradford; Val Rice, Chillicothe; W. S. Johnson, Van Wert; and Hugh F. Egan, Adelphi.

A regular meeting of Canby lodge No. 51 K. of P. was held Tuesday evening, and the rank of Esquire was

conferred on one candidate. Arrangements were also made for holding a ladies' social the evening of January 23.

The members of the Druids Circle met yesterday afternoon and made arrangements for a masquerade ball to be given in February. Other business of importance was attended at the meeting.

Routine business was transacted, and arrangements made for holding the annual installation meeting in two weeks at a well attended meeting of the Knights of Columbus held in the lodge halls Tuesday night.

The annual meeting of the state board of trustees of the order of Catholic Ladies of Ohio is being held at Toledo this week. Mrs. M. H. Kirener, state trustee from this city, is in attendance.

A regular meeting of the Improved Order of Redmen was held Tuesday evening, but nothing other than routine business was transacted.

Routine business only, was transacted at the regular meeting of Marion Chapter, No. 62 R. A. M. held Tuesday evening.

Seal Shipt Oysters

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All Coats from the Greenhut Cloak purchase to go for 25c on the dollar.

The final and last closing prices on all coats commences tomorrow. Prices about 25c on the dollar. Newest and best cloak styles included, black, colors or mixtures.

\$4.95 Now Buys Coats Worth up to \$17.50

\$7.95 Now Buys Coats Worth up to \$25.00

\$9.95 Now Buys Coats Worth up to \$40.00

At these prices there are more than 400 cloaks, every one perfect in way of style, fabric, fit and color. The materials even in the \$4.95 grades, are the best all-wool imported goods, while the coats at \$9.95 are made from \$5.00 yard imported chiffon broadcloths and many are lined with Skinners satin.

These final closing prices are made ridiculously low on account of the unseasonable weather. They are the lowest cloak prices on new goods ever named in this section of the state. Stylish garments at 25c on the dollar.

\$19.75 buys any evening coat that sold up to \$55.

Yes, it's a fact. You may choose from about 25 evening coats, all new and choice, which sold up to \$55.00, for only \$19.75. No use to say any more. These figures mean enough. It's up to you.

\$14.98 buys any suit; some sold at \$40.

If these suits were some unstaple style, if they were heavy woolen materials, if the colors were bad, it would be different, but they are the staple styles. Jantry short coats, plaided skirts, of splendid imported Panamas and worsteds, in black, blue and brown, suits that will be right for spring. Choice now \$14.98.

50c on the \$1. Take your choice of our fur stock.

Anything in furs half price. Muffs, Scarfs, Sets or Coats. For instance, a real ermine muff, worth \$50.00 goes for \$15.00. A pretty ermine tie for \$10.00. Forget to say that many are much less than half. It's a great snap. Fine mink scarfs as low as \$10.00.

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Our Big January Sale

NOW ON!

A few items of interest to everyone. Every item A MONEY SAVER.

10,000 yards of best standard prints, any color, blues, reds, grays and blacks. They are worth today 7c per yard. Sale price 4⁷/₈c yard

2 cases of girl's and boys' Heavy Ribbed Hose, 2x2 or 4x4 rib, any size from 5 1-2 to 10. A regular 15 to 19c value. January 10c sale price, pair

Men's 50c underwear 39c. Yes, it's a dandy too, and has never sold for less than 50c. All sizes. January sale price 39c

Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Wool Pants and Vests, natural wool color, a regular \$1 garment. Too many on hand. Special 62¹/₂c extra

Children's gray ribbed cotton fleeced vests or pants. They cost according to size. Size 16 5c only

See our Remnant Counter. Goods must be sold. No doubt you can find what you want. 1-2 saved if you can.

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